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1. On 26 July Mr. Rocca, C/CI/R&A, called to my attention an aspect of Nosenko's information which must be thoroughly examined when we attempt to assess analyze Nosenko's story about the OSWALD case. Rocca has been reading all the latest from N re OSWALD and it is his impression there are not only gaps in the info from the standpoint that N should know more but also some aspects which don't ring true.

2. Recently Rocca received from the [British] information about the activities of RIMA SHURAKOVA who has been in the UK [in touch with a British controlled source (a gov't clerk) judged]

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[to be reliable] It is ROCCA's impression (I have not examined this case thoroughly) that the Soviets have continued to try to make SHURAKOVA look clean, i.e., that she has not had a KGB role and is only an Intourist interpreter to support N's thesis. This is questionable on its surface. At any rate the [controlled British] source and SHURAKOVA visited Mme Tussaud's Wax works museum where SHURAKOVA had a visible reaction when seeing OSWALD display, although this visit was entirely innocent on the part of the source [ ] [British] i.e., it was not done deliberately. SHURAKOVA's reaction indicated suspicion that this was a provocation

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